

COUNTRY Austria (Soviet Zone) SECURITY INFORMATION REPORT
 TOPIC Soviet Troops in Klosterneuburg and Moedling 50X1-HUM

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Klosterneuburg.

1. On 21 January 1952, troops wearing red-bordered black epaulets were seen at the Pionier Kaserne, Klosterneuburg (O 49/S 30). The wire fence around the installation had been lined with boards and the view into the billeting area was almost completely obstructed. Soldiers seen in the windows of the troop quarters wore black-bordered red epaulets. Vehicles coming out of the installation [redacted] jeep [redacted] and truck [redacted] both of which were driven by soldiers wearing black-bordered red epaulets.

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2. About 30 soldiers wearing red-bordered black epaulets with artillery or tank insignia were seen in the yard of the former Pionier Zeugamt (engineer equipment depot). Six gun barrels of armored vehicles with an estimated caliber of 70-mm, projected from the garage doors. Vehicles seen in the yard of the installation 50X1-HUM included trucks [redacted] and jeeps [redacted] four tank trucks, [redacted] were parked at the fuel dump of the Pionier Zeugamt.

3. Soviet naval personnel were seen servicing trucks [redacted] at the naval garage in Klosterneuburg. No changes were observed at the naval radio station. *

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Moedling.

4. [redacted] building No 6 on Schranngplatz, Moedling (O 49/X 37). This building had a sign reading "Officers House of the Soviet Army".

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[redacted] Comment. The vehicles observed at the Pionier Kaserne and the Pionier Zeugamt, Klosterneuburg, belong to the 13th Gds Mocz Div, while those seen at the naval garage belong to the Soviet Navy.

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